



TIPSS-2 Symposium

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Overview

- Security and eGovernment Initiatives
- Security Needs
- Senior Manager Involvement
- CIO Council Security Liaison
- Perspectives on the Future
- Conclusions
- Q&A

Security and e-Government Initiatives: What's the Connection?

- Public
- Private Sector Partners
- States and Tribes
- Federal Government Partners
- Own Employees

Security Needs

- Confidentiality of Information
- Availability of Services and Information



Senior Manager Involvement

- Promote security as it supports the mission
- Proactively push security awareness
- Security needs to be a part of acquisitions
- Integrate security funding into the lifecycle of projects and programs



CIO Council Security Liaison

- Objective
 - To orchestrate and optimize the expeditious dissemination of relevant, timely security issues that impact the mission of the Federal CIO Community

CIO Council Security Liaison

- What to Expect
 - Timely and accurate information
 - Focus on needs of the Council
 - High-level overview of security issues
 - Awareness of Executive and Legislative Branch directions

CIO Council Security Liaison

- Planned Roles and Responsibilities
 - Represent Council at key meetings
 - Ensure understanding of IT security issues
 - Add value through projects and information sharing



CIO Council Security Liaison

- Future Activities
 - Determine key meetings
 - Identify support resources
 - Continue CIO Security Primer development
 - Identify “most-value” projects

Perspectives on the Future

- IT Security is and will continue to be important
- Threat levels will continue to increase



Questions and Answers